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Applicant: UCKUN ET AL. Examiner: H. LIU
Serial No.: 09/688,756 Group Art Unit: 1624
Filed: OCTOBER 16, 2000 Docket: 12152.76USD1
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By: *Rosanne Swacek*
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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination.

Enter the Amendment previously filed on November 18, 2002, but unentered, in the application.

Our check in the amount of \$375.00 is enclosed to cover the required fee for a small entity.



Respectfully submitted,

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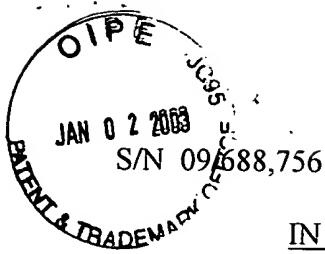
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COMMUNICATION

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Dear Sir:

The Examiner is requested to contact Applicants' Representative for a telephone interview before preparing a new Office Action.



Respectfully submitted,

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